

# The Times-Democrat.

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PRICE THREE CENTS.

## FATE AGAINST THEM.

Flintbusting Vessel Wrecked Off Long Island.

SHE HAD VALUABLE CARGO.

It Was a Heavy Old Vessel and All the Arms and Ammunition Were Flown Downboard. But She Was Good, and She Was Abandoned.

New York, Jan. 29.—At no time since the beginning of hostilities has there been such a concentration of military and naval forces in this city as there was when it was learned that the steamship *W. Hawkins*, which had been fitted out at great expense as a filibuster, had been wrecked off the eastern end of Long Island and had been abandoned by the revolutionaries and the crew.

The news came as a thunderbolt among the leading states in the revolution, and it was the evening papers in the city which published a report to the effect that the steamship *Hawkins* had been wrecked off the eastern end of Long Island and had been abandoned by the revolutionaries and the crew.

The news was so effect that the revolutionaries had recently purchased the steamship in Baltimore. She had been fitted out for the purpose of carrying arms and ammunition, and she was fitted out with a crew of about thirty men.

The revolutionaries numbered about 200 men and the crew numbered 100. The ship was wrecked off the eastern end of Long Island and she was abandoned by the revolutionaries and the crew.

SEVENTY-SECOND ASSEMBLY.

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## FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

In the Senate.

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## IN A PRIVATE HOTEL.

Was the body of a Man Found Hanging in His Room.

SUICIDE THE FIRST THEORY.

It Now Develops He Was Murdered by an Alleged Friend and His Brother. He Had Been in Prison.

Pitts Jan. 29.—In the room of 350 at the Danzig hotel, a body was found hanging from the ceiling. The body was that of a man who had been in prison.

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## UPON A BLAZING STACK.

He Stood and Shot Himself in Full View of the Wife and Child.

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## WILL DON WAR PAINT.

Bannock Indians Threaten to Cause Trouble.

THEY ARE BEING HUNTED.

Indian Soldiers at School and the White Men. They Are Being Hunted.

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## HORRIBLE BRUTALITY.

Children Killed in a School for a Study.

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**Royal Baking Powder**  
ABSOLUTELY PURE  
Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

## LIVES.

There a man with soul so dead, who never to himself has said: "I must protect my loving wife, and so I must assure my life." I would not be a soulless booby, who dies and leaves his family poor. I'd pay a premium every year and then my loved ones need not fear but what, when I am in my grave, they'll have more than I can save, or if I were old I'd live, the money will provide for me, and an old age serene and bright, and peaceful as a summer night, shall lead me to the grave.

If you would be another such, and wish to find out just how much premium cost to you would be, just write the nearest Equitable agency.

Now is the time to anticipate your wants for the Lenten season. We quote below a few reasonable articles.

**WANTED.**  
Fancy Red Alaska tall can 10c  
Fancy Columbia River tall can 10c  
Fancy Columbia River, flat can 20c  
American Sarsaparilla, three cans for 10c  
Ocean Gem Codfish, fancy 12c  
We handle a full line of canned, salt and oil fish.

**Grand Opening**  
OF NEW LAUNDRY  
132 N. High St.  
Opposite Post Office

**A. T. WILSON**  
FURNISHING  
Funeral Director  
And Embalmer,  
17 Public Square, Lima, Ohio

**E. G. BURTON, M. D.**  
Office and Kendall block over City Book Store.  
Old phone office, No. 223 residence phone No. 100. No residence 700 N. High street. 1-28-96 d&w

**MONEY TO LOAN.**  
I have Eastern money to loan at a low rate of interest. Why pay 8 and 9 per cent when you can get it so cheap. Call on me at 125 N. High street. T. K. WILSON.

**DRS. BROOKS AND COLLINS.**  
Office rooms Nos. 31, 33 and 35 Opera block, Telephone No. 314, of the Lima Telephone Co.

**J. H. HUNTLEY, M. D.**  
Metropolitan Block, Room 11  
Residence 227 North Elizabeth Street

**TO REDUCE MY STOCK**  
And get it in a smaller compass I shall offer inducements for the

**NEXT 30 DAYS**  
—THAT—  
**You Cannot Afford to Miss**

**MRS. J. M. WAUGH**











## CARROLL &amp; COONEY.

There are various ways of shopping. There is the bright, far sighted way of buying, when you can buy to the best advantage. There is also the way of waiting until you must have an article and paying a little more for it. We are offering exceptionally advantageous opportunities for money saving shopping this week. Our Clearance Sale lasts all this week, but will positively end Saturday evening. Everything in our store at less than regular prices this week.

Our Linen Sale Announcement brought many buyers and some doubters. The first had bought Linens here before. The others didn't believe in special sales. The majority of them could not resist the tempting feast of Linen Bargains displayed and bought before leaving our store. It is an established business principle that on certain occasions the cost of selling decreases as the ratio of sales can be increased. We believe in greater sales at smaller prices. Buy Linens this week. Buy Fur Capes at less than half price this week. Buy Silk Umbrellas at \$1.39 each that are worth every cent of a dollar and three quarters.

## CARROLL &amp; COONEY.

## SHATTERED PRICES

## ON UNDERWEAR.

We realize that at this stage of the season only low prices will sell Underwear—and to reduce our stock to the absolute minimum, WE HAVE STRUCK BOTTOM ON PRICES, which in many instances are hardly more than

## Half Regular Value.

Ladies' Camels Hair Vests and Pants, were \$5 and \$1.00	now	59c
Ladies' Camels Hair Vests and Pants, were \$1.50	now	98c
Ladies' White Wool Pants, value 75 cents	now	35c
Ladies' Black and Natural Wool Ribbed Vests and Pants, were \$1.25	now	89c
Ladies' Natural Merino Ribbed Vests and Pants, were 65 cents	now	48c
Ladies' Black and Natural Wool Ribbed Vests and Pants, were \$1.00	now	79c
Ladies' Black Wool Equestrian Tights, were \$1.98 and \$2.50	now	\$1.48
Odd sizes Children's Natural Wool Drawers, and Boys' Fleece Merino Shirts and Drawers, were 29, 35 and 50c	now	19c
Children's Scarlet Wool Vests and Pants, sizes 22 to 30, former price 45c to 70c	now	35c
Children's Camels Hair Vests and Pants, sizes 21 to 30, former price 50c to 70c	now	35c
Children's Union Suits, were 50c	now	35c
Children's Black Wool Tights, were \$1.50	now	98c
Boys' Natural Mixed Shirts and Drawers, were 50c	now	29c
Men's White and Grey Merino Shirts and Drawers, were 75c	now	39c

**Feldmann & Co.**  
212 N. Main St.

## THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT.

THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT PUBLISHING CO.  
COUNTING ROOM 221 NORTH MAIN ST.

TELEPHONE CALL NO. 84.

**Revival at Grace M. E. Church.**  
This is a revival of the old Methodist type. Altar crowded every night; over twenty-five have been forward; the house is packed to overflowing. Meeting every afternoon this week at 3 o'clock.

**Call and Get**  
Your wax candles at Arndt's, 518 N. Main street.

## Order Eastern Star.

There will be a special meeting of Trinity Chapter No. 10, at Masonic hall this evening, for practice. All members are requested to be present.

Mrs. DONA THOMPSON, W. M.

## Open for Business.

P. A. Kahle, receiver for Dabell and Cowles, says the invoice of the store is complete and that the plumbing shop is now open for business. Persons owing this firm will please call and settle the account.

## Buy Your Groceries

At Arndt's and get a fine good wash free. Free. J. M. Arndt, 518 N. Main St.

Clam Bouillon at Irwin's.

## MORTGAGE HOLDERS

Will Be Interested in the New Bill of Senator Johnson's.

It Promises Tax Relief to Those Who Property Is Encumbered.

A BILL.

To supplement Section 2807 of the Revised Statutes of Ohio.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, That section 2807 of the Revised Statutes of Ohio, be supplemented as follows:

Sec. 2807c. It shall be the duty of each township and ward assessor, annually, to enter, in a register or book provided for by the auditor of the county, opposite the name of each person, company or corporation, owning real estate in their or its respective township, city or ward in Ohio, a statement under oath as to the amount of all liens, that are valid and subsisting against real estate so owned; the kind of lien or liens, if due, if not due the date when the same shall become due, the date when given or obtained, to whom due, to whom interest payable or to be paid, to the residence of said lien holder or holders, and the residence of the person receiving the interest, and return the same to the county auditor, who shall file the same in the auditor's office, which shall be a part of the public record.

It shall be the duty of the county and city boards of equalization at their annual meeting to reduce the listed value of all real property so encumbered, by deducting the value of said lien or liens; but in no event shall there be an amount deducted exceeding two-thirds of the listed value of such real property. If said board of equalization find that any lien or liens owned in said county, where such lien or liens exist and are not listed for taxation according to law, said board shall list the same, where the penalty prescribed by law.

Where a lien holder or holders, whose residence is in Ohio, other than in the county where such lien or liens exist, it shall be the duty of the auditor to transmit to the auditor of said county, where such residence is had, a certified transcript of the amount of said lien or liens, whose duty it shall be to call attention of the county or city board of equalization of said county, and if said board is not listed for taxation according to law in said county, the same shall be listed with the penalty as prescribed by law. Any person, company or corporation, who refuse to make the statement as herein provided, shall not be entitled to any benefits provided. Whoever makes representations under oath the value of any lien or liens shall be guilty of perjury and punishment according to the laws of Ohio, provided in cases of perjury.

Sec. 2. This act shall be in force from and after its passage.

## DIPHTHERIA.

A Case Reported To-day—Also a New Case of Scarlet Fever.

This morning a new case of diphtheria and one of scarlet fever were reported to health officer Rudy, and placards were posted on the infected houses by sanitary policeman Wise. The case of diphtheria is at the residence of M. F. Stone and family, at 743 South Main street, and the case of scarlet fever is at Henry Emerick's residence, 565 west Wayne street.

## STREET TALK.

Following is the number of persons taken to the various State institutions in 1895:

To the Work House, 45; Insane Asylum, 13; Boys' Industrial school, 4; Girls' Industrial School, 9; Epileptic Asylum, 2; and Ohio Penitentiary, 17.

The south end of Walnut alley, which the city council has been petitioned to open, is partly blocked by the L. E. & W. coal chute.

Lee Beeler, of Sanford's drug store, has purchased from Mrs. Marmon, widow of the late J. G. Marmon, the Townsend patent medicine. Mr. Beeler will continue the manufacture of the medicine.

Mr. Jas. K. Kleily, formerly with Swift & Co. at Joliet, Ill., is the new manager of the Lima Beef Company, having succeeded Mr. J. H. McClure, who resigned to engage in business for himself.

County Clerk Shappell has almost completed the docket for the February term of common pleas court, which will convene a week from Monday. There are about 371 cases, 212 of which are jury cases, 101 court cases and about 40 criminal cases.

W. D. Davies, as representative of the Lima and Piquette Electric Railway Company, appeared before the county commissioners Saturday to secure a right of way through the western part of the county. The county commissioners will take no action in the matter for the present.

—Sidney News.

James S. Reed, one of the oldest and most prominent citizens of Marion, Ohio, died in that city at 10 o'clock Monday morning. The deceased was the father of Henry Reed, well known in Lima, and was related to the W. L. Porter family of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Ridenour will entertain the Ladies' Auxiliary to the O. E. S. C. at 10 o'clock Monday afternoon and evening.

Irwin's maple sugar at

the appointment of M. A. Smalley, of Upper Sacusky, chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee, for the position of United States marshal, and his appointment will probably soon be made.

Health Officer Rudy and Messrs. Fleck, Stolzenbach, Kline, Hughes, Moore and Morrison, members of the local board of health, will leave tomorrow morning at 5:45 o'clock on the C. H. & D. for Columbus, to attend the meeting of the state board of health, which convenes there tomorrow for two days.

The Lima Choral Society will hold a reunion and social in their hall in the Matheys block this evening from 8 to 10 o'clock.

A short musical program will be served by the ladies of the society and the evening spent in social converse. They have invited a number of their best friends to be with them.

Messrs. Theo. Butler, of Akron; and Fred Haberman, of Marion, were in the city today with Thos. Morris, the W. K. Boone Co. arranging the program for the meeting of the retail hardware dealers' association at Dayton on the 11th of next month.

## MORE PLASTERING

Fell from the Ceiling at the Old School Building.

Yesterday another section of plastering fell from the ceiling of room No. 8 in the west High street school building.

Some of the pieces of plastering hit one of the pupils on the head, cutting the flesh, but doing no other injury.

It has been only a few weeks since a similar accident happened in the same room soon after school had adjourned.

## ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Been and Are Going.

D. M. Baily, of Ottawa, was in the city today.

Mrs. J. W. Orr, of 234 north Union street, is visiting in Youngstown.

John Robb, of Albany, Oregon, is the guest of his mother and other relatives.

Miss Rose Malley, of north Elizabeth street, left today for a visit with friends in Cincinnati.

Mrs. D. V. Gason, of Delphos was guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Fisher today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. W. Smith returned to their home in Chicago, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Packard.

Doc Morris, who has been at his home in Elida recuperating from an attack of typhoid fever, returned to Toledo last evening to resume his duties in the internal revenue office.

## TALES OF THE TOWN.

The Haines well was being drilled in to day.

Circuit Court is in session at Bucyrus this week.

The New Dominion company left for Delphos this morning.

Harry Felsner, of west Kirby street, is setting 'em up over the birth of his fourth daughter.

The daughter of L. E. & W. engineer John Tarbuton is quite ill at her home on south West street.

Miss Mary McClunk entertained friends at cards this afternoon, in honor of Mrs. J. H. Bogart, of Toledo.

B. M. Cantner and Amanda A. Steinhorn were married in Probate Judge Robb's office this morning by Squire Atmure.

The last game of basket ball between the business men and clerk teams will be played at the Y. M. C. A. Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graham, of north Elizabeth street, are the parents of a new girl. She arrived at their home yesterday.

Ray G. E. Criles will preach at the Baptist church to-morrow and Friday evenings, and also next Sunday morning and evening.

The jury in the Riley ditch hearing returned a verdict in probable court this afternoon, in favor of the plaintiff, which means no ditch.

Mr. and Mrs. Will McClure, of north Elizabeth street, rejoice over the birth of their first-born, a son. Mr. McClure is in the employ of a W. F. Numan.

Meetings at the Baptist church each evening this week except Saturday. Subject of sermon by Pastor Morse to-night, "From Law to Grace." Everybody invited.

Detective Reinholder, of the Ohio Southern, caused the arrest of Sam McDowell this afternoon, on a charge of stealing 500 pounds of coal. McDowell pleaded not guilty. Will be tried Friday.

The funeral services of Edward Morris, who died Monday from lung trouble, were held from the M. E. church in Elida at 10 o'clock this morning, and the remains were interred in Greenlawn cemetery.

Mr. W. S. Catterman and Miss Lydia M. Fisher were married Jan. 28th, at Grace M. E. Parsonage by Rev. S. Baugardner.

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## RAILROAD MEN

Interested in an Important Decision by Judge Ricks.

Who Holds that an Employee Can Make a Contract to Give Suit for Damages—Railroad Notes.

Judge Ricks, of the United States circuit court, rendered a decision in the case of Harry O. Shaver vs. The Pennsylvania Railroad company, in Cleveland yesterday, that is of considerable importance.

Some time ago Shaver brought suit in the Lucas county common pleas court to recover \$25,000 from the defendant company as damages for personal injuries. While uncoupling cars his foot caught in the space between the ties and before he could be extricated he received serious injury. He claimed in his petition that the accident was due to negligence on the part of the company.

The answer denies the charge of negligence and also sets up that plaintiff at the time he received his injuries was a member of the Voluntary Relief department of the Pennsylvania Lines west of Pittsburgh.

When plaintiff was injured, he applied to the beneficiary department, and was paid, in all, a total of \$399, payments only ceasing when he began to work again.

Plaintiff then, contending that the contract is invalid, and that it is in violation of an act of the Ohio legislature passed in 1890, which provides that no railroad company shall enter into contract with an employee whereby such employee surrenders or waives his right to damages arising from personal injury.

Judge Ricks overruled the demurrer, holding the contract as between the employee and the relief department of the railroad company valid, and declaring the statute of 1890 unconstitutional.

## NEW OFFICIAL.

General Superintendent Hill and Assistant Jarvis, of the L. E. & W., left this morning in a special car to make a trip of inspection over the Northern Ohio, to become acquainted with the route and the employees as after February 1st, Mr. Hill will be the superintendent of the road, and will be assisted in the work by Mr. Jarvis.

Supt. John H. Sample will submit his resignation, to take effect Feb. 1st. It is not definitely known what he will do in the future, but it is known that he will be better himself by resigning his present position. —Lima Herald.

## PRICE WANTS SOMETHING.

YOUNGSTOWN, Jan. 28.—Special information has been obtained that Calvin S. Bice may secure a right of way for the Pittsburgh, Akron & Western through the network of railroads in this city by seizing the right of way now held by the canal branch of the Erie railroad from the canal through this city. The land was purchased by the Erie railroad and is Pennsylvania & Ohio railroad and is a part of the old canal bed of the Pennsylvania and Ohio canal. Bice has been advised by counsel that he can attack the title and win out, which is very improbable. When the right of way was secured this same question was investigated by lawyers, who advised that no attempt be made to break the title. The canal branch is now owned by the Erie.

## NOTES.

Henry Brumbaugh has resigned his position as a switchman in the L. E. & W. yards.

Conductor Frank Stroud, of the L. E. & W., has resumed his duties, after a vacation.

Train Dispatcher South, of the O. H. & D. was entertaining Mr. Houser, of Hagerstown, Ind., today.

Dave Brumbaugh, formerly of the L. E. & W., recently a brakeman on the Toledo & Ann Arbor, is in the city.

Passenger Conductor M. H. Lynch, of the Ohio Southern, laid off today to attend a funeral at St. Rose church.

Operator Ed Woolery, of the C. & E. train dispatcher's office at Huntington, is visiting his parents on Second street, this city.

D. B. Sweitzer, of Marion, Ind., is in the city looking after an adjustment of the license ordinance passed by the council in reference to Paul's opera house.

Brakeman Fritzsche, of the L. E. & W., is working as an engine conductor. Stouy's place, with conductor Henry Ousey on east local, while Mr. Stout is running conductor Johnston's car.

The remains of W. L. McCall, who died suddenly at Parkersburg, W. Va., a year ago, were brought here today and buried in Woodlawn beside those of his wife, who died about three years ago.

The Michigan Central Bridge company, with a capitalization of \$2,000,000, was incorporated last week. It is controlled by the Michigan Central and will build a bridge over the Detroit river at Detroit, which bridge and its approaches will be three miles long.

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DRY GOODS

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## HIGH AND LOW.

The high of our business has reference to the HIGH QUALITY of our Merchandise. We deal in reliable goods. We never buy job lots.

The low of our business has reference to the very LOW PRICES which we make on first class goods. Our Great Cut Sale continues this week--new attractions greet you--we invite you to come and see us.

Respectfully,

## REYNO H. TREAT.

Oldest Dry Goods Store. 209 North Main Street.

## THE BICYCLE MAN

Pleads Not Guilty, Waives Examination and is Bound Over.

Frank A. Johnson, the man who was brought here from Chicago by Sheriff Fisher, charged with having stolen Andy Custy's bicycle, was arraigned before Justice Atmure this morning. He pleaded not guilty, waived examination and was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$400. He could not furnish bail, and was remanded to the county jail.

## L. H. SHREEVE.

A South Side Grocer, Made an Assignment To-day.

This afternoon about 12:30 o'clock L. H. Shreeve, grocer at 720 south Main street, made an assignment to J. C. Ridenour.

Assets and liabilities unknown. Show collections given as the cause.

Shelled Almonds, good quality, 10c lb. at Irwin's.

## A Wonderful Entertainment

Attend the musical humorists treat at the opera house to-morrow night. The Sandusky Daily Register says of this performance:

"Mr. McKay's impersonations are simply wonderful, when we think of the fact that he has never seen a human being. The piano playing of both was splendid. Miss McKay's singing was excellent. The brother and sister will always be greeted with crowded houses when they come to Sandusky."

## COURT HOUSE NEWS

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

B. M. Cantner and Amanda A. Steinhorn. W. L. Catterman and Lydia M. Fisher.

## Dancing School Notice.

The Monday night dancing class will meet this week on Wednesday evening, at Music Hall.

## J. A. HAWKINS.

Columbia River Salmon, 10c a can, at Irwin's.

## ANNUAL CLEARING SALE

## —AT THE— COLUMBIA SHOE STORE.

## EVERY SHOE IN OUR STORE A BARGAIN.

We have too many shoes—we cannot afford to carry them over until next season. To-day they are in style.

Shoes do not improve with age, we know this, we want you to know this; we want you to know that we are bound to close out our heavy surplus stock for what it will bring.

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Buy of the COLUMBIA and Save Dollars.

500 pairs Ladies' best styles, \$3.50 Shoe, AA to E, lace and button, Clearing price \$2.25.

350 pairs Ladies' fine \$3.00 shoes, AA to EE, new toes, grades warranted, \$2.00.

200 pairs Reynold's Bros. Ladies' fine \$5.00 Shoes, closing out at \$3.00.

450 pairs Armstrong's \$5.00 Shoes, closing out at \$3.00.

300 pairs Baker & Bowman \$5.00 and \$6.00 Shoes, sizes 2, 3, 8 1-2 and 4, closing out at \$2.25. A bargain for small feet.

1,000 pairs Ladies' Kid Shoes, all leather, \$1.25.

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800 pairs Gent's \$5.00 Calf hand welt sewed Shoes, AA to EE, ten different styles, every pair warranted to give \$5 worth of wear. Clearing price \$3 per pair.

Going fast--Our hand welt high sole Gent's \$5.00 Enamel Shoes, AAA to E, for \$3.50.

Gent's \$3.00 Calf Shoes, \$2.25.

1,500 pairs Gent's cheap dress Shoes, clearing price \$1.00 per pair.

Visit our store this week and see how cheap you can purchase a pair of Fine Stylish Shoes.

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Leading Shoe House, Lima, Ohio.